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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR GATHERING AND STANDARDIZING

CUSTOMER PURCHASE INFORMATION FOR TARGET MARKETING

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on May 2, 2003 and the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed October 22, 2003, in the above-referenced patent application, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

REMARKS

The Office Action mailed May 2, 2003, has been carefully reviewed.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 10.

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